

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 28, 1947, by Brewer & Co., Inc., from Worcester, Mass.

PRODUCT: 37 cartons, each containing 5 20-cc. vials, of *physiological salt solution* at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Physiological Salt Solution (Isotonic Solution of Sodium Chloride, USP.) Sterilized."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be a drug, "Sterile Isotonic Sodium Chloride Solution for Parenteral Use," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, an official compendium, but its quality and purity fell below the official standard. The article was contaminated with undissolved material, whereas the Pharmacopoeia provides that injections must be substantially free from undissolved material.

DISPOSITION: January 20, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2263. Adulteration of epinephrine hydrochloride injection. U. S. v. 60 Vials * * *. (F. D. C. No. 23180. Sample No. 66326-H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 9, 1947, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 18, 1947, by Lederle Laboratories, Inc., from Pearl River, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 60 vials of *epinephrine hydrochloride injection* at Philadelphia, Pa.

LABEL, IN PART: "Epinephrine hydrochloride Injection U. S. P."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be and was represented as "Epinephrine Hydrochloride Injection," a drug, the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, an official compendium, but its quality and purity fell below the official standard, since it was contaminated with undissolved material.

DISPOSITION: July 23, 1947. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2264. Adulteration of Betathine-S (Super B Complex). U. S. v. 64 Vials * * *. (F. D. C. No. 23962. Sample No. 20814-K.)

LIBEL FILED: November 7, 1947, District of Kansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 19, 1947, by Burton-Lewis, Inc., from St. Joseph, Mo.

PRODUCT: 64 vials of *Betathine-S (Super B Complex)* at Topeka, Kans.

LABEL, IN PART: "15 cc. Vial Betathine-S (Super B Complex) * * * For intramuscular or intravenous use."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the purity and quality of the article fell below that which it purported and was represented to possess, since it was represented to be for intravenous use and contained undissolved material, whereas an article which is represented to be for intravenous use should be free from undissolved material.

DISPOSITION: January 14, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2265. Adulteration and misbranding of estrogenic hormone. U. S. v. Hormorgano Corporation and Herman Meyer. Pleas of guilty. Fines, \$200 against each defendant. (F. D. C. No. 17868. Sample No. 3823-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: March 17, 1947, Eastern District of New York, against the Hormorgano Corporation, Jamaica, N. Y., and Herman Meyer, president and secretary.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 31, 1945, from the State of New York into the State of Pennsylvania.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (d), crystalline estradiol and crystalline estrone had been substituted in part for "Estrogenic Hormone Obtained from Pregnant Mares' Urine, Consisting Principally of Estrone and Estradiol," which the article purported and was represented to be.

Misbranding, Section 502 (e) (2), the article was not designated solely by a name recognized in an official compendium, but was fabricated from two or more ingredients; and its label failed to bear the common or usual name of each active ingredient, in that the designation "Estrogenic Hormone," borne on the